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## SCIENCE NOTES

### **National Science Teachers Association Department of Science, Space and Technology Programs**

The National Science Teachers Association recently announced the formation of a new department. The Department of Science, Space and Technology (SST) Programs has been created to administer the following areas: NASA Educational Workshops for Math and Science Teachers (NEWMAST), NASA Educational Workshops for Elementary School Teachers (NEWEST), Space Science Student Involvement Program (SSIP), Student Space Science Foundation and Wee Wonders (a science-based video series for young children).

Helenmarie Hofman, Ph.D., will serve as director of the new department. Aiding her will be Shelagh R. Lane, associate director, and Beverly Watkins, program manager. Persons interested in receiving more information about the department or its programs may contact the Department of Science, Space and Technology, National Science Teachers Association, 5112 Berwyn Road, Third Floor, College Park, MD 20740, ph. (301) 474-0487, FAX (301) 474-0488.

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### **Iowa Pharmacy Foundation Student Recruitment Program**

Iowa students interested in the field of pharmacology may wish to contact the Iowa Pharmacy Foundation's Pharmacy Student Recruitment Program. Designed to encourage quality high school and junior college students to consider pharmacy as a career option, the program features two main components: a network of pharmacists across the state who volunteer their time to talk with interested students, and printed materials which provide information to students.

One example of the printed materials offered by the program is the "Student Kit," which contains a catalog from the University of Iowa's College of Pharmacy, the Iowa Pharmacists Association's 1988 Salary and Fringe Benefits Report, a brochure from Drake University's Department of Pharmacy and other resources listing information sources/addresses.

The Student Kit and other information about the recruitment program can be obtained by writing to the Iowa Pharmacy Foundation, 8515 Douglas, Suite 16, Des Moines, IA 50322.

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